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SUBJECT: GOS INTEREST IN A-4 TRAINING IN PHILIPPINES

REFS: A. STATE 032086; B. SINGAPORE 0367; C. CINCPAC 090010Z FEB 75;

D. MANILA 1881; E. SINGAPORE 0605

1. OUR PRELIMINARY VIEWS ON THIS SUBJECT WERE CONVEYED IN REFS B AND E. WHILE WE SYMPATHIZE WITH GOS DESIRE GAIN ACCESS TRAINING FACILITIES FOR A-4S, WE THINK IT WOULD BE INADVISABLE AND UNNECESSARY FOR US TO OFFER USE OF OUR FACILITIES IN A THIRD COUNTRY.

THIS VIEW REENFORCED BY MANILA'S 1881 WHICH INDICATES THERE IS AN ADEQUATE ALTERNATIVE (BASA-TABONES) WHICH WOULD AVOID OUR DIRECT INVOLVEMENT. WE SUGGEST WE QUIETLY DISCOURAGE GOS FROM MAKING FORMAL REQUEST FOR USE US FACILITIES AND TRY STEER THEM IN DIRECTION OF BASA-TABONES ALTERNATIVE.

2. IF FORMAL REQUEST IS MADE, WE RECOMMEND IT BE DECLINED.
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